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Year	1906	1907	1908
1899	600	1,904	2,923
1900	950	1,903	3,540
1901	1,887	1,905	4,850
1902	2,441	1,906	5,738

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ROOSEVELT DENOUNCES THOSE RESPONSIBLE FOR STRINGENCY IN MONEY MARKET OF AMERICA

Predatory Capital's Efforts
to Discredit Work of
Genuine Reform.

DECLARES EMPHATICALLY THAT
THERE WILL BE NO CHANGE
AND NO ABATEMENT IN THE
ADMINISTRATION POLICY OF
PUNISHING SUCH CONCERNS AS
VIOLATE THE LAWS.

By Associated Press.
Provincetown, Mass., Aug. 20.—In
the course of his speech today at
the laying of the cornerstone of the Cape
Cod Memorial to the Pilgrim Fathers,
President Roosevelt said in part:
"During the present trouble with
the stock market, I have of course
received countless requests and sug-
gestions, public and private, that I
should say or do something to ease
the situation.

"There is a worldwide financial dis-
turbance. It is felt in Paris and
Berlin, and British consols are lower,
while prices of railway securities
have also depreciated.

In Wall Street.

"On the New York stock exchange
the disturbance has been particularly
confined to the United States and to
matters wholly unconnected with any
governmental action, but it may be
due to that determination of the govern-
ment not to waver in punishing
certain malefactors of great wealth,
who have been responsible for some-
thing of the trouble, at least to the
extent of having caused these men to
combine to bring as much financial
stress as they possibly can in order
to discredit the policy of the govern-
ment, and thereby secure revival of
that policy, so that they may enjoy
the fruits of their own evil doings.
That they mislead many good people
into believing that there should be a
revival of policy, is possible. If so,
I'm sorry, but it won't alter my atti-
tude.

Who Shall Rule?

"Once for all, let me say that so
far as I am concerned, and for the
thirteen months that remain of my
administration, there will be no
change in the policy we have steadily
pursued, nor let up in the effort to
secure an honest observance of the
law, for I regard this contest one to
determine who shall rule this govern-
ment, the people through their govern-
ment agents or a few ruthless and
determined men, whose wealth makes
them particularly formidable because
they are behind breastworks of cor-
porate organization.

Naught in Malice.

"I wish there to be no mistake on
this point. It is idle to ask me to
prosecute the criminal rich or poor,
but I desire no less emphatically to
have it understood that we have un-
deraken and will undertake, no ac-
tion of vindictive type, and, above
all, no action which shall inflict great
or unmerited suffering upon innocent
stockholders and upon the public as a
whole. Our purpose is to act with
a minimum of harshness compatible
with obtaining our end.

Honest Wealth.

"In the man of great wealth who
earned his wealth honestly and uses
it wisely, we recognize a good citizen,
worthy all praise and respect. Busi-
ness can only be done under modern
conditions through corporations, and
our purpose is to heartily favor cor-
porations that do well. The adminis-
tration appreciates that liberal, but
honest, profit for legitimate promo-
tion, and generous dividend for cap-
ital employed, either in founding or
conducting honest business venture,
are factors necessary to activity and
generally prosperous business con-
ditions."

THEY RESUME THEIR ATTACK

Tribesmen Again Advance
on Casa Blanca and
Are Bombarded.

By Associated Press.
Casa Blanca, Aug. 20.—Undeterred
by great losses yesterday, it is esti-
mated that 2,000 of the dreaded Moors
advanced today in a great semi-
circle with the evident intention of
capturing the city. Guns of the war-
ships thereon began bombarding the
advancing tribesmen.

Registered Mail Robbed of \$550,000 on Burlington Road

By Associated Press.
Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 20.—Three
registered mail sacks, containing
about a quarter million dollars, dis-
appeared from the Burlington train be-
tween Denver and Oxford last Sun-
day night, and postoffice officials to-
day made public a statement of the
theft.

The train left Denver with seven
sacks, and only four remained when
the theft was discovered.

STRIKING TELEGRAPHERS NOW SEEM DISCONTENTED

Easterners Say That Small
Is Not Conducting a
Winning Campaign.

SMALL BEGINS A CAMPAIGN
LOOKING TO OWNERSHIP OF
TELEGRAPH BUSINESS BY THE
GOVERNMENT—A FUND TO AID
THE STRIKERS.

Special to The Journal.

Chicago, Aug. 20.—President Small
of the Commercial Telegraphers' Union,
has taken official action calling
on the United States and Canada to
take over control of the telegraph
lines of the Western Union and Postal
companies. He also began a cam-
paign looking to a congressional in-
vestigation of the conduct of the com-
panies in this country.

The announcement was made in
two bulletins issued not only to the
officials of his union, but to their sup-
porters and all advocates of govern-
ment ownership or control of public
utilities. President Small asked all
these to demand that the government
take this radical action.

Campaign Funds.
The first bulletin announced the es-
tablishment of two funds, one to be
a general strike fund and the other a
fund to pay expenses of a campaign
to obtain government action. His bul-
letin says:

"To Trade Unionists in General and
Telegraphers in Particular.—We are
a \$2,000,000 fund must be raised with-
in the next sixty days and a portion
of it set aside to be used to carry on
a campaign in favor of the govern-
ment taking over control of tele-
graphs. Start two funds at once—
one to be used exclusively for the
benefit of those on strike, and the
other to be divided equally—that is,
50 per cent. to go into strike expense
fund, and 50 per cent. into the govern-
ment ownership campaign fund."

CONDITIONS IN THE METROPOLIS

Men Hope For Arbitration and Seem
to be Losing Faith in Small
—Think He Should Go
to New York.

Special to The Journal.

New York, Aug. 20.—Strong hope of
arbitration was entertained by the
striking telegraph operators when
news came from Washington that
Samuel Gompers, president of the
American Federation of Labor; John
Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers
of America; and Daniel J. Keefe, of
the Longshoremen, had interested
themselves in an effort to settle the
strike. There was not a sign that
either the companies or the operators

ADVERTISING OF THE COAST

L. and N. Force is Collecting
Material for Winter
Publication.

Mr. W. B. Barry, general advertis-
ing agent of the Louisville and Nash-
ville Railroad, is touring those of the
Gulf states through which the road
is operated, on the important mis-
sion of preparing copy for the winter
issue of the illustrated booklet which
the road will issue for the Gulf coast
this season. This booklet, Mr. Barry
purposes, will be the handsomest ever
issued by the road for the South, and
it will contain many pretty illustra-
tions of Pensacola and the Pensacola
district.

Mr. Barry is at present in Mobile,
accompanied by Tom Lindsay, of
Louisville, and B. P. Moses, of New
Orleans, both photographers, and they
are spending a few weeks in secur-
ing views for the new booklet. From
Mobile the men will work in this di-
rection. The edition will be devoted
exclusively to the Gulf coast section,
taking in the territory between New
Orleans and Pensacola. High grade
work is to be employed, five colors
to be used in much of the work.

would yield an inch in the struggle,
except in case of arbitration. In
union headquarters there were no re-
ports of desertions from the strikers'
ranks today and in the offices of the
companies there was nothing to prove
that they had obtained many new
operators during the day. In the
evening the situation was described
by men who had been through the
strike of 1883 as an absolute dead-
lock.

Labor Leaders.

As soon as the news came from
Washington that Gompers, Mitchell
and Keefe had become active in the
interest of peace, many rumors
spread. It was reported that Gompers
and his committee were coming to
New York as the most convenient
place in which to start negotiations.
But the officers of the local union
said they knew nothing of such a
move by the mediators.

Another report was to the effect
that President Small of the union and
Labor Commissioner Neill were com-
ing here, but that also turned out
to be baseless.

When asked whether they would
enter into negotiations with Mr. Neill
should he come here, officials of the
companies declared that they would
not. They added they would be glad
to receive the labor commissioner at
any time, but he could do nothing to
settle the strike. As for Mr. Small,
they positively would have nothing to
do with him.

Small Criticized.

In union circles condemnation of
President Small was heard frequent-
ly. Many conservative strikers ex-
pressed dissatisfaction with his con-
duct of the strike. They could not
see why Small chose to remain in
Chicago when the storm center and
the place where negotiations for
peace would be most likely to be un-
dertaken in New York.

"Small will have to come to New
York," said a union official, "or we
will know the reason why."

INDIANA LOSS OF GROUND REPORTED

By Associated Press.
Indianapolis, Ind., Aug. 20.—The In-
diana state circuit of the Associated
Press resumed its regular leased wire
service today, and all operators are
reporting back for duty.

FIRST VIOLENCE OCCURS OUT WEST

Los Angeles, Aug. 20.—An armed
mob attacked the Postal office at
Ash Fork, Arizona, early today,
breaking every window with a rain
of bullets and endangering the lives
of four employees. The help of the
sheriff and deputies at Prescott has
been asked.

General Manager Nally, in New
York, was wired, and he communi-
cated with the Washington authori-
ties, and Governor Curry has been
asked for protection.

CAMPAIGNING BY THE WOMEN

One of the Georgia Prohibition
Leaders Coming
Here to Help.

Mrs. Mary Harris Armour, of Geor-
gia prohibition fame, will reach the
city Thursday afternoon to help in
organizing the women of the city and
county into prohibition leagues.

Mrs. Armour is reported to be not
only a fine organizer, and thorough-
ly acquainted with most effective
lines of work, but a decidedly mag-
netic speaker as well. She will re-
main indefinitely, and while here will
give herself entirely to this work.
Every effort will be made to have
the tent recently purchased by the
Escambia County Prohibition League
removed to a central location in the
city by Friday afternoon, when, at
3:30 o'clock, Mrs. Armour will hold
her first meeting. A large attendance
is expected, as the prohibition senti-
ment is growing among the women
of the city with rapidity, scores of
them being anxious for immediate di-
rection in hand to hand work in its
behalf.

TRUCULENT WORDS FROM HEADQUARTERS

Federal Powers Will Stand
Squarely Behind Jones
in Ala. Contest.

MESSAGES FROM DEPARTMENT
OF JUSTICE SHOW EXECUTIVE
SYMPATHY IS WITH FEDERAL
COURTS IN CONTEST WHICH IS
NOW BEING WAGED.

Montgomery, Aug. 20.—Today's Ad-
vertiser says:

The order of Judge Thomas G.
Jones of the United States Court, re-
straining solicitors and sheriffs of
Alabama from interfering with the
operation of the Louisville and Nash-
ville Railroad, will be rigidly en-
forced by the Department of Justice
of the United States Court.

This was the information received
in a telegram to United States Dis-
trict Attorney Erasmus J. Parsons from
Attorney General Bonaparte last eve-
ning.

The telegram sets at rest all doubts
as to whether or not President Roose-
velt had looked upon with disfavor
injunctions granted by Federal courts
us to the enforcement of state laws
reducing freight and passenger rates.

Department of Justice.

The telegram speaks in no middle
terms. It is as follows:
"Washington, D. C., Aug. 13, 1907.
"United States Attorney, Montgomery,
Ala.

"You are authorized to make public
the following statement from this de-
partment. It is the duty of the de-
partment of justice to see that the
process from all Federal courts is duly
served. This duty exists without re-
gard to the nature of the litigation
in which such process may issue or
the parties to the cause.

"This department has already an-
nounced publicly on more than one
occasion that it would see the process
of a Federal court requiring execu-
tive enforcement duly enforced with-
out regard to cost or consequences.
Every Federal court will be sustained
in the execution of its process so far
as executive enforcement may be
needed, and respect will be exacted
to all orders requiring such executive
enforcement passed by a Federal court
in the exercise of the jurisdiction
which it has regularly assumed.

Upheld the State.

The telegram puts the matter
squarely up to the governor and his
advisers. If Governor Comer goes
ahead regardless of the injunction of
Judge Jones and causes the arrest
of Louisville and Nashville employees,
it will mean a test of authority be-
tween state and nation.

It had been argued by many that
the reason of the Southern Railroad
failing to fight its North Carolina and
Alabama cases to an end, was because
of an intimation from President Roose-
velt that he did not approve of the
Federal courts being appealed to in
cases where state rates on railroad
traffic were concerned.

The telegram of last night was de-
cisive, however. If the telegram and
the injunction is disregarded, there
are two courses open to the Federal
authorities. One is through contempt
proceedings against the arresting of-
ficers, while the second is a criminal
proceeding under sections 5398 and
5399 of the Revised United States
Statutes.

The first of these sections provides
for the punishment of anyone who
impedes an officer of the United States
in the execution of his duties, while
the second is of even broader scope
and provides for the punishment of
any one impeding the due adminis-
tration of justice.

It is understood that Judge Jones
received a letter similar in charac-
ter to District Attorney Parson's tele-
gram, but Judge Jones yesterday af-
ternoon declined to discuss the mat-
ter.

HANGED FOR ASSAULT ON HIS STEP DAUGHTER

By Associated Press.
Asheville, N. C., Aug. 20.—Jas.
Rucker, a negro, was hanged here to-
day for criminal assault on his step
daughter.

IS SENT TO ARBITRATION

The Hague Tribunal to Pass
on the Newfoundland
Fishery Dispute.

London, Aug. 20.—Great Britain has
accepted the proposition of the
United States to submit the New
Foundland fisheries dispute to arbi-
tration by The Hague tribunal. While
the matter is in arbitration, the fish-
eries will be conducted under the
same modus vivendi as last year.

IS THE PROMISE OF IMMUNITY NULLIFIED?

WERE WEDDED IN GULF CITY

Miss Lavada Brown of Gon-
zales and F. E. Brawner
of This City.

The elopement of Fleming E. Braw-
ner, aged 19, son of F. E. Brawner,
of this city, and Lavada Brown,
daughter of Will Brown, of Gonzales,
transpired yesterday after the young
couple were married at Mobile by
Rev. H. H. McNeill, pastor of the St.
Francis Street Methodist Church.

Messrs. F. E. Brawner and Will
Brown were present at the marriage,
which occurred shortly after their
arrival in Mobile, and forgave the
couple for their hastiness in deciding
to become man and wife.

Young Brawner and his bride, who
is only 17, have been sweethearts for
some time, but no thought of an im-
minent marriage had been given by
the parents of either. The young man
went to Mobile with his assistant, Mr.
Wilkinson, presented to Mr. Bona-
parte a number of facts with reference
to the trial to show that the Alton
officials did not live up to the agree-
ment, and in several instances tried
to mislead the government.

There is strong reason to believe
that if Attorney General Bonaparte
is convinced there was a deliberate
purpose to frustrate the government
on the part of the Alton, he will dis-
regard the promise of immunity.

Breach of Faith.

It is said that District Attorney
Sims takes the ground, as Judge Lan-
dis did, in directing the grand jury
to make inquiry, that the agreement
was not made in good faith.

It is not understood Mr. Sims is
urging that the immunity pledge be
broken by the government. He has
ever laid before the attorney general
such facts as are pertinent from the
transcript of the record in the case.

The Alton officials are worried over
the situation. The representatives of
that road consist of Robert Mather,
general counsel of the Alton and of
the Rock Island; Ralph M. Shaw, of
the Alton's legal department; F. S.
Hoffland, tariff clerk of the Alton, and
J. M. Howard, freight claim agent.

They take the position, of course,
that the government has entered into
an immunity agreement, and that the
roadroad company lived up to it.

NEW SUITS FILED.

At the office of the clerk of the cir-
cuit court yesterday were filed four
new suits, as follows:
Emmanuel Williams vs. Ellen Wil-
liams, action for divorce; Jones &
Pasco, attorneys for plaintiff.
Katie E. Jones vs. Robert Jones,
action for divorce; Jones & Pasco, at-
torneys for plaintiff.
Donita Caldwell vs. Warren Cald-
well, action for divorce; Jones & Pas-
co, attorneys for plaintiff.
Pfeiffer Bros. vs. T. A. Hall, am-
ages \$200; Geo. P. Wentworth, attor-
ney for plaintiffs.

MEMORIAL TO THE PILGRIMS

President Attends Laying of
Corner-stone of Cape
Cod Memorial.

By Associated Press.
Providence, Mass., Aug. 20.—The
laying of the corner stone of the
Cape Cod Memorial Monument in the
presence of President Roosevelt, Gov.
Guild and numerous other dis-
tinguished guests completed today
the foundation of one of the most im-
portant structures along the Atlantic
Coast, commemorating the first
landing, in a few feet of its base, of
the pilgrim fathers.

There was a splendid naval display
of eight battleships, numerous fishing
vessels and, scattered among them,
many private yachts, covered with
colors.

The president landed from the May-
flower at 11 o'clock and was cheered
as he stepped ashore and passed up
the street to the place of the cere-
monies, which were in charge of
Grand Master Mason Balke of Massa-
chusetts.

Gov. Guild spoke briefly, introduc-
ing the president.
Following the exercises a banquet
was tendered the president and dis-
tinguished visitors, and this was fol-
lowed by a reception of the neighbor-
hood fishermen by President Roose-
velt, who then drove to the dock and
embarked on the Mayflower at 3:45
p. m.

LOCAL PYTHIANS ARE TO BUILD A PYTHIAN HALL

Incorporation Papers Filed,
Setting Forth Fiscal
Details of Plan.

CAPITALIZATION OF \$35,000 IN
\$10 SHARES, ASSIGNABLE ONLY
TO PENSACOLA PYTHIANS IN
GOOD STANDING — ORGANIZA-
TION FOR THE TIME BEING.

The plans recently announced for
the construction in this city of a
building by the Knights of Pythias
lodges are soon to bear fruit, as is
attested by the articles of incorpora-
tion being advertised in The Jour-
nal this morning. The idea is to erect
a large building, containing a lodge
hall, offices and stores, the cost to
be borne by members of the associa-
tion, who will be representatives of
all the lodges of Pythias in the city.

The amount of the capital stock of
the new Pythian association, as set forth
in the application for letters patent,
is \$35,000, divided into 3,500 shares of
\$10 each. The stock is not to be
owned or sold to any person except
a member of a K. of P. lodge in the
city of Pensacola, in good standing,
and no one person will be allowed to
own more than one hundred shares
of stock.

The business of the corporation is to
be directed by a president, two
vice-presidents, secretary, treasurer
and a board of fifteen directors, and
the annual meeting is to be held on
the first Wednesday in each January.
Until the first meeting, next Janu-
ary, T. A. Jennings is to act as
president; W. B. Wright, first vice-
president; George P. Wentworth, sec-
ond vice-president; Scott M. Loflin,
secretary; W. L. Moyer, treasurer;
with F. E. Brawner, J. W. Bullard,
J. E. Williams, F. B. Radcliffe, J. E.
Wolfe, J. N. Andrews, L. M. Davis,
J. J. Hooten, S. L. Fulghum and A. C.
Blount, Jr., board of directors.

The highest amount of indebted-
ness to which the corporation can at
any time subject itself is to be \$40,-
000. The success of the project seems
to be assured, 855 shares already hav-
ing been subscribed. In addition to
the officers and board of directors,
those who have subscribed are C. F.
Zeig, E. M. Williams, Max J. Hein-
berg, M. L. Bear.

The site for the proposed new
structure has not yet been selected
but as soon as the letters patent for
the incorporation have been granted,
a meeting of the board of directors
and officers will be held, and active
work begun. The idea of a building
owned entirely by Knights of Pythias
is a fairly new one in this section, but
many of the larger cities of the coun-
try have tried the idea with great
success, the lodges having the ad-
vantage of a comfortable lodge hall
and finding the stores and offices
which will compose a part of the
building a very fruitful source of in-
come.

CROKER NOT COMING.

Special to The Journal.
London, Aug. 20.—Richard Croker
Jr., tells a correspondent here that
his father has no present intention of
going to New York in October, as re-
ported.

DEATH IN THE STORM.

By Associated Press.
Leon, Iowa, Aug. 20.—A woman
and three children were killed in a
storm that passed over this section
of the state Sunday night.

The Relations Between the W. U. and the Pool Rooms

Special to The Journal.
New York, Aug. 20.—That the West-
ern Union has not discontinued its re-
lations with race track gamblers and
gambling is declared by Daniel L.
Russell, chairman of the operators' board
of strategy. He says that the
company has made offers to W. F.
Sears, an expert racing telegrapher,
who has been recalled from the Saratoga
office because of the corporation's
inability to maintain a connection
with the Spa.
On arrival Mr. Sears was ordered

to take the wire at the Empire City
track.
"You will be paid in checks drawn
by the race track men on their own
bank," he was told, it is said. "That
will make it appear that you are em-
ployed directly by the race track and
let you out with the union."
Sears balked and went to the strik-
ers' Astor House headquarters. The
strike leaders declare they will follow
this lead and they hope to prove that
the company is again aiding pool room
interests, despite the promise of its
officials that they would cease break-
ing the law.

Another Big Land Grabber is Convicted in the West

Special to The Journal.
San Francisco, Aug. 20.—After a
hard fought trial abounding in sensa-
tional features, John A. Benson, a
wealthy real estate dealer here, has
been convicted in connection with
the national land frauds. Benson was
the operator for the firm of Benson
& Hyde.

Benson was arrested last Decem-
ber in Washington charged with hav-
ing defrauded the government of at
least 100,000 acres of immensely val-
uable forest land by fraudulent opera-
tions under the forest reserve act,
in western states.
To secure Benson, he was decoyed
to Washington and apprehended by
officers of the department of justice.
Later he was sent to San Francisco.
When the trial was to be called,
it is said that heavy influence was
brought to bear to shield Benson
from the law, but Secretary Hitch-
cock and the department of justice
were determined to break up the
workings of the land frauds, and they
prosecuted the matter vigorously.
The final punishment of Benson will
be decided upon soon.